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THE following humble Addreſs of the Rector and Profeſſors of the Univerſity of Glaſgow, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Ilay. Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Rector and Profeſſors of the Univerſity of Glaſgow, aſſembled in an Univerſity Meeting the 29th of March, 1727.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WHEN the Peace of Europe is diſturb'd, and ſolemn Engagements to your Majeſty openly violated; when the juſt Poſſeſſions of Great Britain are attack'd, and her Trade uſurp'd, and when the moſt pernicious and deſtructive Deſigns of ſetting a Popiſh Pretender upon your Majeſty's Throne, are form'd, whereby Religion, Law, Liberty, Property, and every other Thing valuable are threatened with utmoſt Danger; all honeſt Britons muſt find themſelves excited, both from a Senſe of Duty to your Majeſty, and Regard to their native Country, to expreſs ſuitable Indignation and Reſentments, to give new Aſſurances of their unſhaken Allegiance to your ſacred Perſon and Government, and gratefully to acknowledge your Majeſty's vigilant Care to prevent the unhappy Effects of ſo unjuſt and miſchievous Meaſures.

We, among others, who not only ſhare the common Bleſſings of your Majeſty's auſpicious Reign, but are ſo much diſtinguiſhed by your Royal Bounty, and by a late Proof of your paternal Care, in the gracious Terms of your Majeſty's Commiſſion granted to ſeveral Perſons of great Honour and Worth for regulating the Affairs of this Univerſity, ſhould be moſt inexcuſable, if we did not chearfully embrace every Opportunity of teſtifying our Loyalty, Gratitude and Affection.

(Price Two Pence.)

Permit us therefore, Great Sir, to aſſure your Majeſty, that we abhor and deteſt thoſe Steps that have been taken by ſome of the Powers of Europe, inconſiſtent with their Engagements to your Majeſty, derogatory to the moſt juſtly acquired Poſſeſſions and Trade of your Kingdoms, or injurious to your Majeſty's Honour (particularly the late extravagant Inſult offered in the Memorial audaciouſly preſented, and inſolently diſperſed through the Kingdom by the Imperial Miniſter) but eſpecially whatever Attempt is or ſhall be made from Abroad or at Home, prejudicial to your Majeſty's unqueſtionable Title to the Britiſh Throne: And that as we are truly ſenſible of the Happineſs of all your Subjects under your Majeſty's juſt and prudent Adminiſtration, and are fully convinced, that a Proteſtant and Freeborn People muſt needs expect Popery and Slavery under a Popiſh Pretender, ſo we find ourſelves obliged by all imaginable Ties of Duty to God, to your Majeſty, to ourſelves, and to Poſterity, to contribute our utmoſt Endeavours for the Defence and Support of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government againſt all your Enemies whatſoever, and to inſtill into the Minds of the Youth committed to our Care, ſuch Principles as may engage them to the like Duty and Loyalty.

That the Crown may long flouriſh on your ſacred Head, that your Reign may be ever glorious, your Counſels and Arms ſucceſsful, and that there may never be wanting a Proteſtant Prince deſcended from your Royal Perſon, and inheriting your Princely Virtues, to ſway the Scepter of theſe Realms, is and ſhall be the hearty Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful, moſt loyal, and moſt obedient Subjects.

The following humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Cuſtos Rotulorum, Juſtices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Merioneth, has been preſented to His Majeſty by William Wynne, Eſq; High Sheriff of the ſaid County, accompanied by ſeveral Gentlemen,

Gentlemen, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Cholmondeley Lord Lieutenant of North-Wales. Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Cuſtos Rotulorum, Juſtices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Merioneth, met at the Great Seſſions held at Bala for the ſaid County the 29th Day of March 1727.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne with Hearts fully ſenſible of the great Bleſſings and infinite Felicity we enjoy under your Majeſty's moſt wiſe and gracious Adminiſtration, to join with the reſt of your People in ſincere Aſſurances of our Duty and Affection to your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon and Government, and unfeigned Thanks for the prudent Care and Vigilance that appear ſo conſpicuous in your Counſels and Preparations to fruſtrate the Attempts of your Enemies, and to preſerve the Peace and Happineſs of your People. We are at a Loſs to expreſs our juſt Reſentments and Indignation at the unmannerly and extravagant Behaviour of a Prince, who owes all he enjoys to the Support and victorious Arms of the Britiſh Nation; at his ungrateful Engagements and ſecret Schemes entered into with other foreign Powers, in favour of a Popiſh Pretender, in manifeſt Violation of the moſt ſolemn Oaths and Treaties, and tending to the inevitable Ruin of the moſt valuable Trade and Commerce of this Nation.

Permit us therefore, Dread Sovereign, to aſſure your Majeſty, that we ſhall, with the greateſt Alacrity, ſacrifice all that is dear and valuable to us, in Defence of your Majeſty's Safety and Government, againſt all Efforts whatſoever of your Majeſty's open or ſecret Enemies: And that your Majeſty's Reign over us may be long and proſperous, and continue fixed on the firm Foundation of the Hearts of your Subjects; and that the Enjoyment of our preſent ineſtimable Bleſſings may be tranſmitted to our lateſt Poſterity in your Royal Family, is, and ſhall be our daily Prayer.

The following humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Capital Burgeſſes, Miniſter, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough and Pariſh of Barneſtaple, in the County of Devon, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Thomas Whetham, Eſq; Lieutenant-General of His Majeſty's Forces, and one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State. Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Capital Burgeſſes, Miniſter, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough and Pariſh of Barneſtaple, in the County of Devon.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, beg Leave to return your Majeſty our unfeigned Thanks, for the many Bleſſings we enjoy under your wiſe and auſpicious Adminiſtration.

When we ſee one Prince (from whom we might have expected better Returns) invade the Trade of this Nation in its moſt valuable Branches, and another endeavouring to wreſt out of your Majeſty's Hands the Fortreſs of Gibraltar and the Iſland of Minorca, which were the only Advantages this Nation reaped after a long, bloody, and ſucceſsful War, it fills our Hearts with the warmeſt Reſentment and Indignation againſt the Authors of ſuch deſtructive Schemes.

We beg Leave to expreſs our utmoſt Deteſtation of the abjured Pretender, and all his Abettors, and think that this Nation can never be ſo far infatuated as to exchange our Religion and Engliſh Liberty for Popery and Slavery.

We rely on your Majeſty, under God's Providence, for our Safety and Protection; and do not doubt but that your Majeſty, either by the Wiſdom of your Counſels, or by the Force of your Arms, will ſoon bring to Reaſon thoſe great Diſturbers of the Peace and Liberty of Europe.

Port-Mahon, March 26, O. S. A Meſſenger arrived here nine Days ago from England, with Orders for a Detachment of 500 Men of this Garriſon to be ſent to Gibraltar: And ſuch Expedition has been uſed, in providing Shipping, Victualling, and other Neceſſaries for their Tranſportation; that the ſaid Detachment will all be on board, and ready to ſail, the 29th Inſtant.

Paris, April 21, N. S. Letters from Madrid of the 7th Inſtant N. S. relate, that the Siege of Gibraltar goes on very ſlowly, and with little Succeſs; and that the Spaniſh Army loſes daily a great many Men: That two Britiſh Ships being lately arrived in that Bay with 900 Men for ſtrengthning the Garriſon, the Beſiegers began to deſpair of ſucceeding in their Enterprize; and it was ſaid at Court that if their Army was not in Poſſeſſion of Gibraltar by the End of April, the Siege would be raiſed. The ſame Letters add, that beſides the Spaniſh Ship of 50 Guns taken by an Engliſh Man of War, another Spaniſh Ship of 32 Guns, bound for Cartagena in the Weſt-Indies, the Cargo amounting to 75000 Pieces of Eight, has been taken by the Engliſh; that they have alſo ſunk five great Barks coming on the 27th of March from Malaga, and on the 28th they took

took a Veſſel in the Sight of Ceuta; all which had on board Proviſions and Military Stores for the Camp.

Whitehall, April 15.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to make the following Promotion of General Officers.

Earl of Cholmondeley, *General of the Horſe.*

Lieutenant Generals.

Owen Wynn,	Edward Pearce,
Thomas Whetham,	William Evans,
William Tatton,	George Wade.
Joſeph Sabine,	

Major-Generals.

Earl of Deloraine,	Andrew Wheeler,
Richard Ruſſell,	Lord Mark Kerr,
Andrew Biſſet,	Robert Hunter,
Nicholas Price,	James Crofts,
Lord John Kerr,	Robert Napier,
Humphry Gore,	Robert Dalzell,
Philip Honywood,	James Dormer,
Henry Grove,	David Creighton.

Brigadiers.

Sir James Wood,	Charles Dubourgay,
Albert Borgard,	Paul de Gually,
Francis Columbine,	John Moyle,
Richard Francks,	Gervais Parker,
William Newton,	James Tyrrell,
John Pocock,	Edmund Fielding,
Charles Churchill,	John Peter Desbordes,
William Barrell,	William Kerr,
Jaſpar Clayton,	Marqueſs of Hertford,
Edward Jones,	Sir Robert Rich, Bart.
Piercy Kirke,	

St. James's, April 10.

This Day Sig. Claudio Re, Miniſter from the Duke of Parma, being recall'd by his Maſter, had a private Audience of Leave of His Majeſty to deliver his Letter of Revocation; being introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Leiceſter-Houſe, April 14.

Sig. Claudio Re had this Day private Audiences of Leave of both their Royal Highneſſes the Prince and Princeſs of Wales, in their reſpective Apartments, being introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, April 15, 1727.

Whereas Mr. Widdrington Darby, Son of Richard Darby, Eſq; Secondary to Sir George Cook, Chief Prothonotary in His Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, was, in the Night between Monday the 10th and Tueſday the 11th Inſtant, murdered in the ſaid Prothonotary's Office in the Temple, by Perſons yet unknown, and his Scrutore broke open, and Money and Goods taken from thence, and from his Perſon and Chambers to a very conſiderable Value: For the better Diſcovery of the ſaid barbarous Murder and Robbery, His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Accomplices therein (who ſhall not appear to be the Perſon that actually committed the ſaid Murder) that ſhall diſcover any one or more Perſon or Perſons concerned in the ſaid Murder and Robbery, ſo as he, ſhe or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

TOWNSHEND.

And as a further Encouragement for ſuch Diſcovery, the ſaid Sir George Cook and Mr. Richard Darby do hereby promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons diſcovering any one or more of the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Murder and Robbery; (except as above excepted) ſo as he, ſhe or they be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, payable upon the Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders, by Mr. Hoare, Banker, in Fleet ſtreet.

Chriſto. Arnold.

Victualling Office, April 14, 1727.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy, give Notice, That on Friday the 19th of May next, in the Forenoon, they ſhall be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are inclineable to furniſh White and Bay Salt, as alſo Hamburgh Pipe and Hogſhead Staves, for the Service of His Majeſty's Navy.

The Paymaſter of the ſeveral Lotteries gives Notice, that he hath Money reſerv'd in his Hands to pay off the Annuities on Benefit Tickets in the Lottery Anno 1710, *which became due at Lady-Day* 1727. *The Principal upon the Lottery* 1713, *as far as No* 93, *in the* 45*th Courſe of Payment, together with all Intereſt due upon the ſaid Lottery at Lady-Day,* 1727, *and the whole Principal remaining undiſcharged upon the Lotteries* 1714 *and* 1719.

Wine Licence Office, Surrey-ſtreet, April 15, 1727.

All Perſons owing or engaged for Arrears of Rent for Wine Licences, or whoſe Licences are expired, are hereby required to take Notice, that if they do not pay their ſaid Arrears, and renew their ſaid Licences with all Speed, they will be forthwith proſecuted for the ſame. And whereas His Majeſty's ſaid Commiſſioners for managing the ſaid Revenue have received certain Information of divers Perſons preſuming to retail Wine without Licence, and to whom Letters have been ſent advertizing them of the Penalties incurr'd thereby, theſe are alſo to give Notice, that unleſs ſuch Perſons do ſpeedily apply themſelves to the ſaid Commiſſioners, the Laws in ſuch Caſes made and provided will be forthwith put in Execution.

Truſtees-Office, South-Sea-Houſe, March 17, 1726.

The Truſtees appointed by Act of Parliament for Sale of the Eſtates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others, give Notice, That they intend to expoſe to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the beſt Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-Houſe, on Wedneſday the 19*th Day of April next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the ſeveral Eſtates following, viz. the Moiety of three Freehold Houſes within Aldgate, in the City of London, late the Eſtate of Richard Houlditch, Eſq; (one of the ſaid late Directors). A Freehold Houſe at Enfield, in the County of Middleſex, late the Eſtate of Ambroſe Page, Eſq; (one of the ſaid late Directors.) A Leaſehold Eſtate at Limehouſe, in the County of Middleſex, late the Eſtate of Col. Hugh Raymond, (one of the ſaid late Directors.) A Leaſehold Houſe in Swithin's lane, in the City of London, late the Eſtate of Mr. Robert Knight, late Caſhire of the ſaid Company. A Freehold Eſtate in Twining and Mythe, in the County of Glouceſter; and ſeveral Leaſehold Houſes in Charles-Street, in the Pariſh of St. James Weſtminſter, late the Eſtates of Mr. Robert Surman, late Deputy Caſhire of the ſaid Company. Particulars of the ſaid Eſtates may be had at the Truſtees ſaid Office.*

Notice is hereby given, That the yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors in the Invention for raiſing Water out of all Mines, &c. by Fire, will be held, purſuant to their Articles, on Thurſday the 18*th Day of May next, at Apothecaries-Hall in Black Fryars, London, at Nine in the Morning; where a Committee attends every Wedneſday in the Forenoon, to treat with all Perſons who have Occaſion for any Engines of the ſaid Invention.*

Ad-